IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Appln. of:

Arne HOLM et al.

Serial No.: 10/724,233

Examiner: T.D. Wessendorf.

Filed: December 1, 2003

Group Art Unit: 1639

Title: METHOD FOR PREPARING A LIGAND PRESENTING ASSEMBLY (LPA), AN LPA

AND USES THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111 in the captioned patent application.

X Small Entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27 is enclosed.

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir/Madam:

Please enter the following amendments prior to examination of the application on the merits.

Amendments to the claims can be found on page 2, Remarks begin on page 15.